GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

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MODERNISATION OF INDIAN AIR FORCE
LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Air Force has informed the Governmentthat various kinds of helicopters, arms and radars are required for its modernisation; and

(b) if so, the details of steps taken by the Government to update the Indian Air Force?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The IAF has formulated a Modernisation Plan to enhance its combat Aircraft strength in terms of quality, as well as, quantity. Plans are in hand to augment squadron force levels.